

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges
Fourth Quarter Summary Report
Based On Number of Reported Cases
October - December 2002**

Juvenile Court **Knox**
Court Number **47**

East Region

October - December 2002 **1,169 Cases** Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted
Affecting **1,075 Children**

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
2	OR	0.13% Other Sexual Offenses
2	OR	0.13% Aggravated Assault
2	OR	0.13% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
56	OR	3.73% Assault
3	OR	0.20% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
1	OR	0.07% Arson
10	OR	0.67% Aggravated Burglary
35	OR	2.33% Theft of Property
32	OR	2.13% Vandalism
1	OR	0.07% Forgery
5	OR	0.33% Worthless Checks
2	OR	0.13% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
17	OR	1.13% Burglary
3	OR	0.20% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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5	OR	0.33% Sale of Controlled Substances
14	OR	0.93% Other Drug Offenses
22	OR	1.46% Possession of Controlled Substances
1	OR	0.07% Criminal Attempt
2	OR	0.13% Carrying Weapons on School Property
5	OR	0.33% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
15	OR	1.00% Evading Arrest
7	OR	0.47% Escape
3	OR	0.20% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
29	OR	1.93% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
12	OR	0.80% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
4	OR	0.27% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
0	OR	0.00% Filing a False Police Report
10	OR	0.67% Criminal Impersonation
47	OR	3.13% Disorderly Conduct
15	OR	1.00% Criminal Trespass
13	OR	0.87% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
533	OR	35.49% Traffic
0	OR	0.00% Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
1	OR	0.07% Contempt of Court
45	OR	3.00% Violation of Probation
8	OR	0.53% Violation of Aftercare
1	OR	0.07% Unruly Behavior
7	OR	0.47% Truancy
36	OR	2.40% In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Out-of-State Runaway
46	OR	3.06% Possession of Tobacco Products
4	OR	0.27% Violation of a Valid Court Order
68	OR	4.53% Violation of Curfew
3	OR	0.20% Sexually Abused Child
1	OR	0.07% Physically Abused Child
79	OR	5.26% Dependency/Neglect
15	OR	1.00% Termination of Parental Rights
7	OR	0.47% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
107	OR	7.12% Foster Care Review
40	OR	2.66% Custody
18	OR	1.20% Visitation
0	OR	0.00% Paternity/Legitimation
0	OR	0.00% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
108	OR	7.19% Other

1,502 OR 100.00% Total

Of the 1,169 Cases, There Were
Referral Source

1,502 Referral Sources

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942	OR	62.7% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
132	OR	8.8% Were Referred By Parents
93	OR	6.2% Were Referred By Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Self
10	OR	0.7% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
172	OR	11.5% Were Referred By DCS
2	OR	0.1% Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
63	OR	4.2% Were Referred By Court Staff
5	OR	0.3% Were Referred By Social Agency
2	OR	0.1% Were Referred By Other Court
59	OR	3.9% Were Referred By Victim
1	OR	0.1% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
21	OR	1.4% Other
1,502	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 1,169 Cases, There Were 1,502 Intake Actions
Intake Actions

863	OR	57.5% Petition Filed
119	OR	7.9% Motion Filed
515	OR	34.3% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0% Other
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
5	OR	0.3% Does Not Apply
1,502	OR	100.0% Total

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Of The 1,169 Cases:

Type Of Detention

3	OR	0.3% Non-Secure Placement
130	OR	11.1% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
1	OR	0.1% Unknown
1,019	OR	87.2% Does Not Apply
16	OR	1.4% Other
1,169	OR	100.0% Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

91	OR	7.8% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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30	OR	2.6% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
1	OR	0.1% Shelter Facility/Group Home
1	OR	0.1% Foster Family
1	OR	0.1% Psychiatric Hospital
3	OR	0.3% Unknown
1,040	OR	89.0% Does Not Apply
2	OR	0.2% Other
1,169	OR	100.0% Total

During October - December 2002 Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

1,075 Children

Age of Child At Referral

170	OR	15.8% Birth Through Age 10
59	OR	5.5% Ages 11 Through 12
115	OR	10.7% Ages 13 Through 14
366	OR	34.0% Ages 15 Through 16
363	OR	33.8% Age 17 Through 18
0	OR	0.0% Age 19 And Over
2	OR	0.2% Unknown/Not Reported
1,075	OR	100.0% Total

Sex of Child

651	OR	60.6% Male
416	OR	38.7% Female
8	OR	0.7% Unknown
1,075	OR	100.0% Total

Race of Child

761	OR	70.8% White
184	OR	17.1% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
28	OR	2.6% Asian
0	OR	0.0% Mixed Race
102	OR	9.5% Unknown
1,075	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 1,075 Children Referred

Hispanic Origin

5	OR	0.5% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

104	OR	9.7% Living With Both Biological Parents
14	OR	1.3% Living With Father And Stepmother
28	OR	2.6% Living With Mother And Stepfather

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216	OR	20.1% Living With Mother
54	OR	5.0% Living With Father
79	OR	7.3% Living With Relatives
4	OR	0.4% Living With Adoptive Parents
28	OR	2.6% Living With Foster Family
25	OR	2.3% Living In A Group Home
5	OR	0.5% Living In A Residential Center
0	OR	0.0% Living In An Institution
4	OR	0.4% Living Independently
508	OR	47.3% Unknown
6	OR	0.6% Other
1,075	OR	100.0% Total

School Enrollment of Child

441	OR	41.0% Were Enrolled In School
78	OR	7.3% Were Not Enrolled In School
556	OR	51.7% Unknown
1,075	OR	100.0% Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

54	OR	5.0% Too Young For School
5	OR	0.5% Pre-School
12	OR	1.1% Finished Kindergarten
7	OR	0.7% Finished Grade 1
8	OR	0.7% Finished Grade 2
4	OR	0.4% Finished Grade 3
8	OR	0.7% Finished Grade 4
17	OR	1.6% Finished Grade 5
19	OR	1.8% Finished Grade 6
30	OR	2.8% Finished Grade 7
62	OR	5.8% Finished Grade 8
61	OR	5.7% Finished Grade 9
63	OR	5.9% Finished Grade 10
60	OR	5.6% Finished Grade 11
9	OR	0.8% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
16	OR	1.5% GED
4	OR	0.4% Graduated
0	OR	0.0% Never Been In School
636	OR	59.2% Unknown
1,075	OR	100.0% Total

Enrolled In Special Education

46	OR	4.3% Were Enrolled In Special Education
350	OR	32.6% Not Enrolled In Special Education
679	OR	63.2% Unknown
1,075	OR	100.0% Total

NOTE: In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

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The Following Are The		1,922 Specific Case Outcomes
60	OR	3.12% Case Dismissed
26	OR	1.35% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
150	OR	7.80% Warned/Counseled
4	OR	0.21% Held Open For Review
129	OR	6.71% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
1	OR	0.05% Probation To Parents
48	OR	2.50% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
18	OR	0.94% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
21	OR	1.09% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
1	OR	0.05% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
6	OR	0.31% Referred To Defensive Driving School
36	OR	1.87% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
14	OR	0.73% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
5	OR	0.26% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
4	OR	0.21% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
1	OR	0.05% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
18	OR	0.94% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
29	OR	1.51% Fine
128	OR	6.66% Public Service
33	OR	1.72% Restitution
26	OR	1.35% Runaway Returned
27	OR	1.40% No Contact Order
2	OR	0.10% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% House Arrest
13	OR	0.68% Court Defined Curfew
410	OR	21.33% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
1	OR	0.05% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Released From Probation
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
29	OR	1.51% DCS Commitment/Custody
10	OR	0.52% DCS Commitment - Suspended
6	OR	0.31% DCS Intensive Probation
4	OR	0.21% Other Intensive Probation
2	OR	0.10% DCS Probation
7	OR	0.36% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
2	OR	0.10% Supervision By DCS
4	OR	0.21% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
12	OR	0.62% Parental Rights Terminated
2	OR	0.10% Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
118	OR	6.14% Court Costs
3	OR	0.16% Foster Care Terminated
105	OR	5.46% Foster Care Continued
74	OR	3.85% Custody Changed
123	OR	6.40% Custody Unchanged

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33	OR	1.72% Visitation Changed
3	OR	0.16% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
174	OR	9.05% Other
1,922	OR	100.00% Total

Disposed By

Of the 1,502 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

58	OR	3.9% Disposed By The Judge
743	OR	49.5% Disposed By The Referee
185	OR	12.3% Disposed By The YSO
516	OR	34.4% Other
1,502	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 1,169 Cases Disposed,			
The Action Used To Dispose/Adjust Each Of The		1,502	Referral Reasons Was:
70	OR	4.7% Dismissed	
86	OR	5.7% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>	
234	OR	15.6% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	
7	OR	0.5% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	
287	OR	19.1% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected	
1	OR	0.1% Complaint Substantiated Abused	
2	OR	0.1% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill	
695	OR	46.3% Informal Adjustment	
75	OR	5.0% Pretrial Diversion	
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing	
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court	
12	OR	0.8% Special Proceeding	
2	OR	0.1% Review Concluded	
2	OR	0.1% Case Held Open	
29	OR	1.9% Other	
1,502	OR	100.0% Total	